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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Steven Porter Hotelling et al.

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## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 16, 2008, for which a shortened statutory period of three months for response ending April 16, 2008 was provided and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a three-month extension, ending July 16, 2008 is hereby requested, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

Please charge the required fee of one thousand and fifty dollars (\$1,050.00) for extending the time for a response within the third month after the original response date, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b) to Deposit Account 07-0832.

As certified in a certificate of mailing included on the signature page of this document pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, the present response is being mailed on July 16, 2008 and, therefore, it is respectfully submitted that this response is timely.

Please enter the remarks as follows:

Listing of the claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.